

Remarks

Amendments to the Specification

Applicants have amended the specification to include a claim to the benefit of Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-253123. Support for this amendment can be found in the Declaration which was filed concurrently with the instant application.

Amendments to the Claims

Applicants have cancelled Claim 46.

Claims 5-17, 23, 24, 26-29, 34-37, 39-42, and 44-45 have been amended to correct the claim dependencies so that they comply with U.S. patent law and no longer have a multiple dependent claim dependent on another multiple dependent claim.

Claims 10, 16, 17, and 25 have been amended so that the definition of a term is listed in a claim instead of referring to the definition as it appears in another claim.

New Claim 47, directed to a method of inhibiting angiogenesis in a mammal, has been added. Support for this amendment can be found on page 39, lines 5-7.

New Claims 48 and 49, directed to a method of treating cancer in a mammal, have been added. Support for this amendment can be found on page 39, lines 8-15.

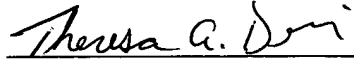
New Claim 50, directed to a method of treating or preventing hemangioma in a mammal, has been added. Support for this amendment can be found on page 39, lines 16-19.

New Claims 51 and 52, directed to a method of treating an inflammatory disease in a mammal, have been added. Support for this amendment can be found on page 40, lines 1-8.

New Claim 53, directed to a method of treating or preventing atherosclerosis in a mammal, has been added. Support for this amendment can be found on page 40, lines 9-12.

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